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Attorney Docket No.: **Juniper-1 (JNP-0031)**

Appl. No.: **10/014,323**

Applicants: **Bruce COLE, Anthony Joseph LI**

Filed: **December 10, 2001**

Title: **ROUTING PROTOCOLS FOR ACCOMMODATING NODES WITH  
REDUNDANT ROUTING FACILITIES**

TC/A.U.: **2663**

Examiner: **Christine Y. Ng**

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 18, 2005 (Paper No. 10042005), which set a period for response to expire on January 18, 2006, that period being extended two (2) months to expire on March 20, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.